

AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT

Please substitute the following paragraph(s) for the abstract now appearing in the currently filed specification:

--An aliphatic polyester film on which an inorganic gas-barrier film is formed by deposition to improve the gas barrier properties of the aliphatic polyester wherein the adhesion between the aliphatic polyester film and the deposited gas-barrier film has been improved. The aliphatic polyester film is biaxially stretched and comprises at least two layers (layers A and B). Each of the layers A and B contain an amorphous polylactic acid resin and a crystalline polylactic acid resin in a predetermined ratio.--